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LORIMER CASE IS UP TO THE SENATE

LUMBERMAN HINES CHARGED WITH BUYING VOTES.

TWO REPORTS SUBMITTED

Majority Exonerates Illinois Senator From Charges of Corruption-The Minority Report Sharp in Its Denunciation.

Washington,-The Lorimer case was placed squarely before the senate for final settlement. The majority mem bers of the committee, Senators Dilling ham, Johnston, Fletcher, Gamble and Jones, filed a lengthy report, setting forth that there was no appearance of corruption in Lorimer's election. The minority members, Senators Kern, Les and Kenyon, filed their views, maintaining that ten of the votes cast for Loriwere obtained by corrupt methods, and that Edward Hines, the millionaire Chicago lumberman, was influential in "putting Lorimer over."

The statement of the minority members is particularly sharp in its denunciation of the methods used in Lorimer's election. According to these senators, thetestimony tagen by the committee ostablishes Mr. Hines as "one who looked upon everything and everybody as being purchasable, the only question of doubt in his mind being the amount of money necessary to purchase this or that per-

The major'ty of the committee reported that all the rules of law, judicial procedure and justice required that the senate's former judgment in Senator Lori-mer's favor be held final and conclusive, and that there was absolutely no newand substantial evidence discovered on this reinvestigation, his election being "the logical result of existing political conditions in Illinois."

The minority reported that the evi-dence presented at the second investigation was "broader and more far-reaching" than the previous inquiry brought out, and that it conclusively established that at least ten of the votes cast for Lorimer were corrupt, and that his election therefore was invalid.

The minoriy report declares, "We have no hesitancy in stating that the invest gation establishes beyond contradiction that the election of William Lorimer was the body of a small boy was yielded. obtained by corrupt means."

Is Calm While Being Strapped and Electrodes Applied.

Boston, Mass.-Clarence V. T. Richeson was electrocuted at 12:17 Tuesday morning. The current was turned on at 12:10:02 and the prisoner was declared dead at 12:17.

The former Baptist clergyman, who confessed poisoning Avis Linnell of Hyannis, his sweetheart, was outwardly calm when he entered the death chamber and he maintained his composure while the straps and electrodes were being adjusted as he sat in the electric chair

Richeson walked to the chair erect, eyes straight ahead, until he sat down Then he closed his eyes and kept them shut until the end.

PLACES BAN ON LOW NECKS

Preacher Will Refuse Communion to Women "Improperly" Dressed.

Wilkebarre, Pa.-Rev. M. E. Lymott, pastor of St Ignatius Church, Kingston, where theer are 3,000 parishioners, has pirced the ban on low-need 1 dresses and short sleeves. He has informed the members of his parish that no women, young or old, will be permitted to receive hely communion at the altar of his church who have not their breasts properly covered and their arms free from in-pertion from the wrist up. It has been made plain to the members of the congregation that any woman who insists on wearing a low neck and short sleeves will be refused the sacrament of the communion.

Capt. H. A. Tyler went to Nashville Tuesday morning.

W. C. Reed attended a dance at Dyersburg one night last week.

FOR SALE: Ten acres of fine

young timothy .- D. H. Toombs, RFD 3 The N., C. & St. L. stops their

trains in East Hickman to discharge passengers, but they will not receive passengers at that point. It would be a fine thing for that end if trains stopped going and coming.

It is a current report that several houses will be built this year in the Industrial League Addition by people who purchased lots at the sale last week. And why not?-there isn't a prettier place in the world for a residence section.

LATEST CREVASSE MOST DESTRUCTIVE

ADD THOUSAND SQUARE MILES TO PLAN INUNDATED AREA.

25 PARISHES NOW AFFECTED

7,500 Square Miles of Louisiana Lands Inundated and More Than 100,000 People Driven From Their

Homes. New Orleans. - With approximately 7,500 sequere miles of Louisiana's lands inunds,ed by the Mississippi river flood waters, and more than 100,000 people driven from their homes in the parishes west of the river from the Arkansas line cational Association, and it has been apalmost to the gulf, the most serious crevasse of the present disastrous flood -Hymelia-promises to add another thousand square miles or more to the overflowed territory, make homeless thousands of people and add millions of dollars to the property damage done

within the state. The property damage already wrought by the floods in this state is enormous. It will amount into the millions-no one has attempted to even approximate it, for the state has been too busy with the work of rescuing people and live stock in the flooded territory and in caring for the thousands of humeless and destitute people. The loss of live stock has been exceedingly heavy, but, although more than 25 parishes have been swept by the flood, the list of known human victims is less than 40. The territory now in water in Louisiana comprises parts of 24 parishes, with an area five times as large as the state of Rhode Island, almost four times as targe as Delaware, as large almost as Rhode Island, Conpecticut and Delaware combined and almost the size of the great state of Massachusetts. Within another ten days five other parishes will feel the effects of the terrible waters from the Mississippi broken levees, which hourly are creeping upon them, which no hand can

Except for a small stretch of land in West Felincians and another small stretch in lower St. Bernard, the overflowed territory in this state extends along the west banks of the Mississippi river from the northern part of the state to the extreme southern part, 300 miles Roberts May Have to Work Out in length and arying in width from 10 to 30 miles.

TWO BOYS FOUND DEAD

Cincinnati Babies Missing Since April 29 Found.

Cincinnati, Ohio.-The corpses of two little boys, discovered in the great feed box of a horse stable here turned out to be the bodies of Robert and Urban Nichols, the tots who disappeared from their home on April 29.

The boys' father found the corpsea. He had dipped a shovel into the feed, and when it came in contact with a resisting mass he poked down further till he came upon a little foot. Startled, the elder Nichols tugged at the foot till

It is believed the boys came to their death while playing about the big feed RICHESON IS ELECTROCUTED box. Evidently they fell in, were over whelmed in the mountain feed, then were suffocated.

Must Keep Sabbath Holy.

Louisvill, Ky .- Organized and aggressive efforts toward general realization of the commandment, "Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy," will be made throughout the territory of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America this coming year, if the recommendations of the general assembly are carried out. These provide for Sabbath observance committees in every synod, presbytery and church, all cooperating with similar committees of other denominations.

Will Close Break.

.. New Orleans .- The work of closing the Hymelia crevasse in the west side of the Missisippi river leves thirty-five miles above New Orleans was actively begun when Secretary of War Stimson approved of the Mississippi river commission's resolution appropriating \$100,000 as a part of the cost in carrying out the plans of the engineers.

Preacher Killed in Duel.

Wayeross, Ga.-Clifford Bennett, a Baptist preacher, was killed and Carey Bennett, a cousin, was injured in a pistol duel near here. Two bystanders also were slightly hurt by stray bullets.

Coat of Tar for Anarchist.

Los Angeles, Cal .- After having been coated with tar and feathers by a San Diego vigilante committee, Dr. Ben Reitmanager for Emma Goldman, arrived here. Reitman, it is said, was removed from a San Diego hotel at 2 o'clock in the morning by a committee of vigilantes in automobiles and driven twenty miles to Las Penasquitas, where, it is alleged, he was tarred and feathered, and the letters "I. W. W." traced on his back with a lighted eigar and he was forced to kneel and kiss the Amerlean flag.

Pistol Tax Law Upheld.

Austin, Tex.-The constitutionality of Texas' new pistol tax law was sustained by the court of civil appeals. This law provides for a tax of 50 per cent of the gross receipts derived from the sale of pistols and revolvers.

2,000 Cattle Burn.

Kansas City, Mo .- Fire swept over five acres of cattle pens at the Kansas City stock yards, in which more than 2,000 head of cattle were confined. The hes suchably will exceed \$100,000.

EDUCATORS ENDORSE RURAL NIGHT SCHOOL

IN SUCCESSFUL OPERATION.

Enforcement of Compulsory Attendance, Demand Appointment of Inspectors and Close Supervision of Rura! Schools.

Frankfort.-Rural night schools for adults were indersed by the State Association of County School Supertutendents which completed its meeting here after three days of work. The idea of having night schools for adults was originated by Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart, who is president of the Kentucky Eduplied successfully in Rowan county. where Mrs. Stewart is County School Superintendent.

Before adjourning the County Superintendents went on record as favoring the new ideas which are intended to improve school conditions in this state.

The following resolutions were adopted: "Resolved, That we favor the enforcement of the compulsory attendance law, the appointment of rural inspectors and supervisors and close supervision of rural achools.

"That as the County Boards are to fix the salaries of teachers they should also employ them.

"That a sentiment in favor of local taxation should be cultivated everywhere among the people and we pledge ourselves to this work.

"That we indorse the rural night schools as a method of abolishing adult illiteracy in Kentucky.

"That we heartily approve the plan of rearranging the teachers' institutes of Kentucky as presented by Prof. E. C. McDougle and piedge our support to the passage of a law enbodying the following features:

"Payment of all teachers for attending institutes if under contract to

'Appropriation of enough money from the State Treasury to pay for a highclass institute in each county. "Licensing of all institute instructors by the state."

PREACHER SENT TO JAIL

His Fine.

Bowling Green.-William Roberts, who claims to be a preacher and temperance worker, and who was arrested in this city, charged with failing to get permission from Mayor Townsend to preach, and with blockading the sidewalks, is serving a sentence of thirteen days in the city prison." Roberts was tried following his arrest by a jury which could not agree. The warrant was filed away on condition Roberts would leave the city, but he failed to go, and was rearrested, tried by a jury and fined \$13.50. His attorney asked for a new trial, which was refused, and Roberts was locked up. The preacher says, he will not work on the chain gang, but Chief of Police Hall says that he will work him on the rockpile as he does the other prisoners.

No Appeal From Legislature.

power of the legislature to declare that certain district has a population of 75,000, the number secessary to create a district in which two Circuit Judges sit, under a decision handed down here by Judge T. L. Edelen, special judge selected to sit in the case involving the act giving Campbell county an additional Circuit Judge. Judge Edelen holds that the question of population is not an issuable fat, as the finding of the legislature is final.

Dies Aged 107.

Lebanon Junction .- Mrs. Teresa Devine died at the home of her daughter, in this county, at the remarkable age of 107 years. There is practically no doubt that her age was as great as she claimed, as she had in her possession family records that bore out the state

L. & N. Pays Judgment.

The Burley Tobacco Society has raceived \$46,616 in payment of a judgment of \$40,000 with interest at 6 per cent and costs, which the Court of Appeals recently affirmed in a suit of the society against the L. & N. Railroad Company for the destructions of 60,000 pounds of pooled tobacco which was burned in a warehouse at Milersburg.

Whisky Season Ends.

Paris,-The Paris Distilling Company, which has had its distilling plant in operation since last November, has finished its run for the season, and closed down until next fall. In the six months' run about 10,000 barrels of whisky have been made.

Mightriders Scrape 'eds.
Hopkinsville.—Tobacco plant beds belonging to W. C. Broadbent, J. E. Broadbent, L. I. Martin and other residents of the Waltonia neighborhood in Trigg county, were ruined by being scraped with hoes.

May Not Insure Aviators.

Frankfort,-Insurance against seeldents while in flying machines may not be written in Kentucky or by a Kentucky company in any other state, according to an opinion by Attorney General Garnett.

Blind Girl Weds Aged Minister. Whitesburg .- At Little Cowan Creek Letcher county, two miles from here, the Rev. William D. Howell, 70, a Baptist minister, was married to Miss Zil-phia Adams, 21, the blind daughter of encer Adams, farmer.

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Atty. R. O. Hester was here from STREET PAVING QUESTION Mayfield on legal business Tuesday.

SODA

Object of Special Meeting Of Council Monday Night.

The City Dads met in special see sion Monday night to talk over the question of improving our atroots. The matter was up for discussion and consideration some time ago, but the flood knocked all the enthusiasm out of the proposition, and the council is just now getting back to its s'arting point of six weeks ago.

in short, the council advocates pay ing Chaton street, and graveling the rest of the streets-not Old mick man-East Hickman-West Hickman -but the whole town.

The council knows-and so does every observing citizen of the toru -that it costs approximately \$2,000 a year to keep the streets up. And after this amount is spent, what have we to show for our mon-Nothing. The same work must be done over and over every year.

On the other hand, if we vote 114. 900 bonds and put these streets in shape, the \$3,000 could go each year to paying off the indebtedness and in the meantime, we would be enjoying first-class streets. Then the 15. 000 would be an investment instead of an expense. This is certainly the in the past five years we have spent enough repairing to have graveled the streets had it all been spent at one

The first question the property owner will ask is "how much will it raise my taxes?"

Not one cent. That is the beauty of the proposition. The street fund will pay the indebtedness in due time. And again, our taxes are as high as the law will permit already.

Every member of the board favors this undertaking, and if the law will permit a special election for the purpose of voting on the proposition, an election will be held at an early date. The city attorney is not sure. however, that an election can be called for this purpose, and the matter might have to go over until the November election. In that event, the council may undertake to do the work and assess the cost to proper ty owners, reimbursing them when the bonds have been sold.

The city may be bonded, on favorde vote of two-thirds majority of its citizens, for 2 per cent of the assessed valuation, which would, based on the last assessment, be equivalent to something over \$14,000. This amount would be sufficient to complete the work in questions.

Mr. Isler, chairman of the street committee, informs us that Hickman's streets will be put in shape unless the citizens "lay down" the proposition. He thinks now is just as good time as we will ever have to do the work; that further delay is not economy. Enough money has been spent patching up the streets to have paved every one of them with brick

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